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ELECTION

Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group II that includes claim 2.

The requirement also included a requirement that a compound be specified. The specified compound (described in Example 5 is 1-acetyl-7-nitro-5-ethoxycarbonylmethyl-4,6-dimethylindoline (formula (II); wherein R1=acetyl, R2=R3=methyl, R4=ethyl).

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